

JILTED GIRL COMMITTS SUICIDE.

Adeline Rittenhouse, Nineteen Years Old, Takes Carbolic Acid. Funeral Monday.

Miss Adeline Rittenhouse, housemaid at Mrs. Maxwell's rooming house, committed suicide, Saturday evening, by taking carbolic acid. She died in a few minutes after taking the poison.

The girl and her sister had been doing light housekeeping at 219 Third street for their father, H. A. Rittenhouse, a railroad employee, and both young women were employed at housework through the day.

On Saturday evening, Miss Adeline was down town and returned to the house about 7 o'clock. She was heard by other inmates of the house, sobbing and crying as if in great sorrow. They heard her go to her kitchen and get a glass and then she was quiet. Her sister came home soon after that and seeing that something was wrong she summoned her father and a physician. By the time the doctor reached the house, the girl was unconscious and she died in a few minutes.

She had carefully hidden the vial which contained the poison and after searching a long time, the bottle was found under the floor of the kitchen, where she had dropped it through a hole. She had scraped the label from the bottle. A small quantity of the acid was left.

It is believed that the girl had been jilted by a lover, as she had told her friends that she was to be married this week. She was seen talking for a long time with a young man on the street on Saturday.

Adeline Rittenhouse was born in Washington county, Iowa, December 10, 1899. Her parents own a farm at Butterfield. The mother and boys of the family live on the farm, while the father and two daughters have been working in town.

Funeral services were held at Guter church at 2:30 o'clock, Monday afternoon, March 10, and interment was made in Sparks cemetery.

MRS. JULIA MALAN DEAD

Mrs. Emma Julia Malan, residing one mile south of Monett, died Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock, of cancer.

Mrs. Malan was born in Switzerland on January 20, 1870 and was 49 years, one month and 21 days old at the time of death. She was a kind and loving woman and will be greatly missed in the community in which she lived.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon, at two o'clock, at the Waldensian church by the Rev. Mr. Woods. Interment will be made in the Waldensian cemetery.

She is survived by two daughters and one brother, Ernest Jacob, of near Monett. The two daughters reside at home. Besides her relatives she leaves many dear friends who will mourn her death.

FRANKLIN COMBS HOME

Franklyn Combs, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Combs, of near Monett, arrived home, Sunday morning, from Camp Funston, Kas., where he was discharged from service.

Franklyn has seen active service in France for over nine months. He was in all the latest battles in the Argonne sector and escaped without wounds. The first of the year he was sent back to the states and was in California for several weeks before being sent to Funston for discharge.

Franklyn has many interesting things to tell, and seeing the actual experience makes them all the more interesting.

His many friends are glad to have him home.

GRAIN AND MILL FEEDS

We have just received a car of No. 2 yellow corn, also a car of No. 2 oats. Be sure to get our prices before buying.

We carry in stock three kinds of alfalfa feed, barley feed, rye shorts, sacked oats, corn chops, cotton seed meal, tankage, chicken feed and the original Schumacher feed. Also hard and soft wheat flour and mill feed.

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Georgette and Crepe De Chene waists, new styles just received at Durnil's. 211-1td-1tw

George Cope, of Anderson, Ind., is in Monett on business and is also visiting old friends.

Farm Loans EMERY HILL Farm Loan Comany

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OZARK FRUIT GROWERS ASSOCIATION QUARTERLY MEETING

The stockholders of the Ozark Fruit Growers Association met in quarterly conference at ten o'clock, Tuesday morning in the assembly rooms of the First National bank.

Interesting addresses were made by Ashleigh P. Boles, horticultural agent for the Frisco, R. M. Hitt, of Koshkonong, V. T. Stillwell, representative of the Kansas City Packer, Dr. E. L. Beal, president of the Association, and also other members made short addresses.

According to the present outlook, the strawberry crop of the Ozarks will be much larger than last year. The price, too, will be good. In Northern Arkansas and in some points in Missouri, the peach buds have been damaged considerably by the cold weather, but there remains a sufficient number to produce a good crop, much better than last year.

Other fruit is in a fair condition for a bumper crop. Many of the farmers of the Ozarks are becoming interested in fruit raising, and all the late methods of care, etc., which is helping the Ozarks to be one of the leading territories for fruit raising.

The members of the organization are pleased with the management. The membership was well represented at the morning session. At two o'clock in the afternoon there was another session in the assembly rooms and important topics were brought before the organization.

Among the members present were Dr. E. L. Beal, president of the association, Ashleigh P. Boles, of Springfield, horticultural agent for the Frisco, G. W. Weygandt, of Monett, R. N. Hitt, Koshkonong, Mo., Carl Glasse, Peirce City, R. F. George, Peirce City, Judge Hatzfield, Neosho, H. A. Doyle, Exeter, Mr. Estridge, Neosho, N. N. Hoover, Peirce City, Mr. Chastain, Peirce City, W. B. Ray, Butterfield, W. R. Russell, Monett, V. T. Stillwell, representative of the Kansas City Packer, Mr. Brittain, Republic, S. D. Cannady, Marionville, Mr. Atkinson and Mr. Vanzandt, of Rogers, Ark., W. B. Sweet, Siloam Springs, Ark., Mr. Mulkey, Monett, Mr. Edmisten and Lee Campbell, of Goodman, Mo., and J. W. Stroud, of Rogers, Ark., secretary of the Association.

WHY COLDS ARE DANGEROUS

You are often told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will tell you: Every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases. People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especially from the germ diseases, as a cold prepares the system for the reception and development of the germs of consumption, diphtheria, scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less the danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take.

DODGE HOLLOW ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marbut and two sons, of Monett, visited Mr. Marbut's father, Sunday.

The Sunday guests of George Marbut, were Erskel Henderson, Columbus Henderson and Robert Louis.

Miss Lela Powell has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Marbut and family, of Monett, have returned home from Wichita, Kas., where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Thomas are the parents of a baby boy.

Miss Florence Bandy and Miss Lucille Morlan visited Mrs. R. L. Marbut, Saturday evening.

Mrs. H. D. Marbut visited his father G. D. Marbut, Saturday.

Rev. Ira Marbut filled his regular appointment at McDowell, Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. Melvin Henderson has bought out Finis Shepard's stock of goods at the cross roads store, east of Purdy. Saturday and Sunday is our regular meeting day at Macedonia. Everybody come and bring some one with you.

Mrs. Emory Moret returned to Springfield, Friday, after a visit with relatives at Monett.

Mrs. Fannie Martin returned home Friday morning from a ten weeks visit to different points in California. She reports a delightful trip. On her return home she stopped at St. Louis and purchased her Spring and Summer millinery goods.

J. B. White and family departed, Wednesday morning, for Marionville, where they will make their home. They recently sold their farm north of town to Will Mayhew.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. White have shipped their household goods to Sapulpa, Okla., where they will make their home at 816 McLeod street. Mrs. White expects to leave for her new home, Thursday. Mr. White is a conductor on the Frisco.

THE VALUE OF SHORT-HORN CATTLE

A breeder of Shorthorn cattle has kindly given The Times some data regarding the value of Shorthorn cattle. He says:

First the Shorthorns are equal to and breed for beef at any age and at a small cost. We know that there is no way of producing growth and flesh any faster or cheaper than using milk. The average Shorthorn will give three gallons of milk per day and many will average five gallons. This is enough to produce a calf that will weigh 800 pounds at the age of eight and a half months. At present I know of a Hereford calf that is being carried to the front as fast as feed and milk will take a calf. He is sucking two registered Hereford cows and a good milking Jersey, making three in all.

What is the cost of feeding three cows at present prices? Why not have a kind that will produce a calf of equal pounds of beef, and feed one cow instead of three.

The farmer's friend in the way of pure bred stock is the Shorthorn, with more milk than any breed and as much beef as any beef breed at any age.

I know of one Shorthorn bull at the age of eight and a half months that weighs 800 pounds and at the age of three years weighed over 2300 pounds and he never had any milk but what his Shorthorn mother gave.

Farmers and breeders of all breeds are personally invited to attend the Shorthorn sale at Monett, March 29, 1919.

A BREEDER.

PIONEER

The new machinery for the Pioneer mines has arrived and will be installed ready for use the last of the week, we hope it means business.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Francis a 10 pound boy, March 5th, mother and babe are doing fine.

We have a new blacksmith in our town once more. Everyone try to keep him here.

W. P. Jones has purchased a new cream separator.

Miss Bertha Wogoman has been on the sick list but is improving now.

We understand J. P. Kennedy will be back here the first of April to finish up his mining mill on the Van Hook land south of town, the more mines the better for the place.

Mrs. W. P. Jones and Mrs. J. R. Allen, spent Sunday evening, with Miss Effie Hutchens.

C. A. Lindstrom the mine promoter is in our town again, we hope he will stay with us for awhile.

The pie supper at our school house for the American fund relief went over the top in taking collection, taking in \$27.00. Pioneer's quota was \$20.00.

FLAT CREEK

Nearly all the farmers on Flat Creek are getting ready to sow oats.

Olaf Clement visited Evelyn Fly, Wednesday evening.

The McDowell school closed last Friday afternoon. It was a very successful term.

Rev. J. W. Ennis failed to make his appointment at Mt. Grove, Saturday night and Sunday, on account of illness.

A farewell party was given Miss Delphine Marbut, Friday evening who will leave soon to visit her brother in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hughey have moved into their new home, which is very cozy.

Benton Fly, spent Saturday night and Sunday, at the home of Weaver Crouch.

Mrs. J. D. Goodnight and daughter, Nadean, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Todd, Wednesday.

INFLUENZA, GOLDS AND LAGRIFFE WARNING

Naturized liver Tablets are nature's remedy.

Why is it that Naturized Liver Tablets are proving a big seller?

The answer is simple, and it is just this:

Everyone who tries them is so well pleased with the result that they tell their friends about them. Thousands of people are saying: They are the finest purgative I ever used; I would not be without them in my home; They are the only thing I have ever tried that actually stirs my liver, etc.

It is a fact that there are very few real liver medicines sold, and Naturized Liver Tablets are filling a long wished for desire.

They remove the bile and cold better than calomel or pills without griping, making you sick, salivating or leaving you constipated.

The first step in the treatment of most any ailment is to give a good purgative, and it is astonishing what wonderful things a good purgative will do towards preventing the development of serious sickness, in fact if every one who needs a purgative would take it in time, there would be less deaths caused from carelessness. 15c and 35c.

PLEASANT RIDGE VOTES ROAD BONDS

Pleasant Ridge township held an election, Tuesday, to vote bonds for building good roads. The bond issue carried four to one.

The road to be built is two miles in length and adjoins Verona on the county line.

Kings Prairie has four miles of road between the Pleasant Ridge road and the Monett special road district, for which they expect to vote bonds for improvement this spring. This will insure the state highway through Monett.

The election was held at the "psychological moment." The roads were so muddy that the voters could hardly get to the polls. Road boosters from Monett tried to get out there before the election to hold a public meeting but could not get there. On election day, they made another attempt to get out there to help push the proposition, but after getting stuck in the mud for the fourth time, enroute, they gave it up. The people of Pleasant Ridge, however, were public spirited and voted the bond issue by a good majority.

LIDS FOR KIDS. All styles of hats for children and misses just received at Durnil's. 211-1td-1tw

A soldier, home on a furlough, attended church at Liberty church north of town, as he was coming down with measles. The result is that everyone who was at church that day, who had not had the disease, is sick. There are no serious cases reported.

Dr. A. Jones announce the birth of a baby girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Efton Hagan, Tuesday morning, March 11.

Mrs. Ferris Thomas, of Verona, came down Wednesday morning to spend the day with her daughter, Mrs. Elisha Bass.

Farm Loans WANTED

I have \$50,000 to loan on Lawrence and Barry County farms, at once. See me for quick service. Long time annual interest; lowest rates.

William Smerdon

BACK GIVES OUT

Plenty of Monett Readers Have This Experience.

You tax the kidneys—overwork them—They can't keep up the continual strain.

The back may give out—it may ache and pain;

Urinary troubles may set in. Don't wait longer—take Doan's Kidney Pills.

Monett people tell you how they act.

Mrs. A. W. Bradford, 914 Fourth St., says: "We keep Doan's Kidney Pills in the house and by using them when we have needed a kidney medicine, we have kept well. Before I used Doan's I had a great deal of back ache. It was such a steady, wearing ache that I was all used up. My general health was poor and I felt tired and run down. Doan's Kidney Pills have always quickly fixed me up.

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Bradford had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Womens Grey and black lace kid oxfords Lewis covered heels, all widths at Durnil's. 211-1td-1tw

GROCERIES

Call at Bell Taylor's Grocery store for fresh groceries and all kinds of canned goods. Phone 48. d&w it*

Dr. A. Jones was in Springfield, Sunday, and performed an operation on a man living near Aurora.

SMOKING TOBACCO FACTS FROM THE ENCYCLOPAEDIA

The Use of Flavorings Determines Difference in Brands

The Encyclopaedia Britannica says about the manufacture of smoking tobacco: "... on the Continent and in America, certain 'sauces' are employed ... the use of the 'sauces' is to improve the flavour and burning qualities of the leaves." Which indicates that a smoker's enjoyment depends as much upon the flavoring used as upon the tobacco.

Your nose is a sure guide in the matter of flavorings. Try this simple test with several tobacco brands: pour some tobacco into your palm, rub briskly, and smell. You will notice a distinct difference in the fragrance of every brand. The tobacco that smells best to you will smoke best in your pipe, you can rest assured.

Carefully aged, old Burley tobacco, plus a dash of pure chocolate, gives TUXEDO Tobacco a pure fragrance your nose can quickly distinguish from any other tobacco. Try it and see.

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